

## HOPKINSVILLE VICTORIOUS

MADISONVILLE H. S. TEAMS  
AND PEMBROKE GO DOWN  
IN TRIPLE GAME.

A large crowd of fans were present Friday night at the triple game of basketball played in the gym at Belmont School. The crowd cheered lustily as all the Hopkinsville teams won victory upon victory. Hopkinsville H. S. boys defeated the Madisonville H. S. boys 18 to 13. Hopkinsville H. S. girls won over Madisonville H. S. girls 19 to 6. Belmont boys also defeated Pembroke boys 43 to 13. Fine ball was played through the entire game. With the exception of one boy being put out of the game for a foul, the best of feeling prevailed throughout.

### EIGHTEEN FAILED.

Eighteen soldiers trying for commissions in the training school at Camp Taylor have failed and been sent back to their companies. The names were not given.

### ADD FLAG.

Dr. W. A. Lackey arrived here Sunday from Camp Meade, Md., and left last night for Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. From there he will shortly go to Colorado Springs to take charge of an army tuberculosis hospital as commanding officer.

### RUSSIA ACCEPTS PEACE TERMS.

Russia, with no responsible government in charge, has accepted the peace terms offered by the Allies. It is not improbable that the Lenin faction has all along been working in the interest of Germany. At any rate disorganization and demoralization followed its accession to power. With Japan to assist the patriotic element in Russia, there may be another army in the field soon.

### FLIER A HERO.

Ensign Walker Weed, of the Navy Flying Corps, died Thursday at Montclair, N. J., from burns received while endeavoring to save the life of a brother officer at the Cape May aviation camp. He was married a month ago to Miss Joan Masson at the home of her father, Thomas Masson, in Glen Ridge, N. J. Charles D. Bennett, for whom Ensign Weed gave his life, is reported to be recovering from his injuries at Cape May. Weed escaped but went back to the wreck and inhaled flames while dragging Bennett out.

### MEAT BAN IS OFF.

Temporary suspension of the meatless meals and the special restrictions against the use of pork on Saturdays was announced by the food administration as a readjustment of its food conservation plans. Increased meat production and the necessity of still greater savings in wheat, it was declared, make the change advisable.

The suspension is made effective for an indefinite period and it probably will last for three months or longer.

Since all restrictions on consumption of mutton and lamb had been lifted previously, the administration now asks the public for the time being to deny itself in meats only beef and pork on one day a week, Tuesday.

### WEATHER FOR WEEK.

Washington, March 4.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday, issued by the Weather Bureau are: For Ohio Valley—Generally fair, somewhat lower temperatures during second half.

### THE STORK.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. C. White, on the 3rd, a nine pound girl.

### NO NEWS FROM JONES.

No further news has been received from William Jones, wounded in France Feb. 26, except a statement from Gen. Pershing that one of the wounded men whose name was given had died and the others were getting along well. Details of the nature of his wound have not been received by his parents.

### DEATH AT CROFTON.

The wife of Mr. Thomas Martin, of Crofton, died Sunday morning, after an illness of several months of tuberculosis. She was about 65 years old. The deceased was a daughter of the late Solomon Smith. Her husband and several children survive. The interment took place at Crofton yesterday, with services at the grave.

Fifty-five housewives of Greensburg, Ky., observed a whole week as wheatless, porkless and almost sugarless days. They are patting themselves on the back but who cares for meat and wheat bread when turnip greens, poached eggs and pone bread are ripe?

Otis Cardwell, aged 18, of Warren county, is charged with deserting from the Army.

## BOY MEETS TRAGIC DEATH

Clyde McNeally Crushed To Death Under Falling Slate.

Clyde McNeally, a boy 15 years of age was crushed under falling slate in the coal mine at Mannington Thursday and killed. His father was an eye witness to the accident, but could do nothing to avert it.

## TRAINS SOON TO BE ORDERED OFF

SERVICE FROM MISSISSIPPI RIVER TO PACIFIC TO BE REDUCED ONE-THIRD.

Washington, March 4.—Passenger train service in the West will be reduced one-third or more by a re-arrangement of schedules to be announced shortly by Director General McAdoo. Scores of trains on competing lines leaving and arriving at terminals about the same time will be eliminated. Unnecessary trains on many Western lines are to be taken off and the locomotives and crews used for essential freight service.

### EVEN SPAIN NEEDS HELP.

To make possible the shipment of large quantities of supplies from Spain to Gen. Pershing's forces in France, the United States plans the rehabilitation of the Spanish railroad system, the broken-down condition of which was given as the reason for the necessity of an embargo by the Spanish Government.

### HARD YEAR ON PAPERS.

At last 1,200 publications in the United States and Canada quit publishing during the year 1917. These approximated 825 suspensions and 250 consolidations, each of which, of course, eliminated at least one publication.

The new publications started bring the net decrease for the year to 616.

The principal decrease was furnished by the weekly, daily and semi-weekly papers. The falling off has been general throughout the country.

The 1918 American Newspaper Annual and Directory shows that at the close of the year there were 24,252 publications of all kinds in the United States and Canada, of which the United States had 22,842.

Of the total number, the weekly papers showed the greatest falling off during 1917. The daily papers ranked second.

### NEW AUTOS LICENSED.

E. H. Armstrong, Ford.  
W. M. Layton, Ford.  
U. G. Cornelius, Ford.  
Mrs. Hugh Major, Ford.

### CLUB WOMAN'S DEATH.

Mrs. Ray Moss, wife of Ray Moss, prominent coal operator of Middlesboro, died suddenly late Saturday. Mrs. Moss had delivered an address at a club meeting and complained of feeling ill. She was taken to her home where she expired soon after.

### WILL REBUILD CHURCH.

The Baptist church at Somerset, recently burned, will be replaced by a new \$40,000 house.

### NOTHING IN A NAME.

George W. Washington convicted of stealing in Louisville, has had his sentence shortened by Gov. Stanley.

### NO HOARDING COAL.

Consumers who buy their winter supply of coal during the spring and summer will be limited strictly to their needs. Fuel Administrator Garfield has instructed local committees to see to it that there is no hoarding.

### TWO PEACE COLONELS.

Gov. Stanley has appointed S. H. Dees, of Murray, and R. H. Soaper, of Henderson, aides on his staff with the rank of colonel.

### HAM SACKS.

Supply now on hand at Kentucky office at 2 to 4 cents each.

## DR. BEAZLEY

---SPECIALIST---

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

Commissioner of Charities Swann of New York, claims that a rich New Yorker caught in a gambling raid offered him \$100,000 to keep his name out of the papers and that he could not accept the check.

## \$20 ROUND

Best Sale of Tobacco Reported on The Local Market

Lowry Hancock & Son, of Lafayette, on Saturday sold to Nick Edwards, a Hopkinsville buyer their crop of 15,900 pounds of tobacco at \$20 round. This is the best sale so far reported.

For Sale—registered Duroc boar, splendid individual, 16 months old. Price \$75. J. G. Jones, Tel. 208-Ring 1.

## ALL RE-ELECTED

Associated Charities Makes no Change in Its Officers

The directors of the Associated Charities met Thursday night and re-elected all of the officers for the ensuing year as follows:

President—Rev. C. M. Thompson.  
V-President—Henry M. Frankel.  
Secretary—Joe McCarroll, Jr.  
Treasurer—Bailey Russell.  
Mrs. Lillian Gillock, the salaried agent, will also continue as heretofore.

## CHICAGO MARKETS.

(Furnished by Whitfield Bros.)

Odd Fellows Bldg.)

Mar. 4, 1918.				
Corn—				
Mar. ....	127½		127½	
May ....	127	127½	127	127½
Oats—				
Mar. ....	89½	89½	88½	89½
May ....	87½	87½	87½	88
Pork—				
May ....	47.90	48.50	47.85	48.20
Lard—				
May ....	26.07	26.25	26.00	26.15
July ....	26.40	26.40	26.37	26.37
Ribs—				
May ....	25.17	25.35	25.12	25.20
July ....	25.57	25.70	25.50	25.57

## HISTORIAN BANCROFT DEAD.

Hubert Howe Bancroft, famous American historian, died Saturday at his home in California at the age of 86 years. Bancroft, though a voluminous writer, never took up the pen until well advanced in years.

## TO DEPORT ALIENS.

Secretary of Labor Wilson has ordered that agitators preaching sabotage and anarchy be deported. The order came as the reply to requests from the Northwest to intern I. W. W.'s and other aliens enemies.

Ambassador Francis does not expect to quit Russian soil, at least not at this time. He plans to remain in Vologda for a considerable period.

John McDonald, a New Jersey man, was fined for kissing his own wife. In a family fuss she refused to make up, when he forcibly kissed her and, still mad, she had him arrested.

The Wingo Tribune has suspended.

## Could Live on Bananas Alone.

The exotic but always accessible banana is essentially sanitary—no germs can touch it. Like the apple, it can be served raw or cooked to please the most capricious palate. Like the onion, it provides the highly necessary mineral salts. And, like meat and milk, it has a high fuel value—slightly less than the one, slightly more than the other. Man cannot live by bread alone, but he could by bananas alone—if he had to.

## Drying Foods.

The process of drying as means of preserving food for storage possesses great advantages over canning and cold storage, while employing practically every advantage obtained by those agencies, says a food specialist. Dehydration greatly diminishes both the bulk and weight of the material, making it both easier and cheaper to store and transport. The food value is concentrated, while at the same time preservation is secured by the removal of the water.

## Plant Life Changes.

The life of plant varieties grown from seed, in their pure and original forms, is very short, notes a botanist. They soon pass in slightly different forms and the process is constantly taking place. So that in a few years a named variety is quite unlike the original, even though a direct descendant. Everything grown from one original seed is soon broken up into many divergent forms, and in some cases this takes in the first generation.

Uncle Pennywise Says: There was a time when a feller could be great for eight hours a day and then mebbe relax a little. But now you got to keep your pose all the time.

## LECTURE-SERMON

DELIVERED BY FRANK BROWN  
SUNDAY NIGHT AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Sunday night at the Ninth Street Christian church, Rev. Everett S. Smith gave the pulpit over during the sermon period of his regular services to Mr. Frank Brown, of Owensboro, who delivered a strong absolute prohibition of the liquor traffic in county, state and nation. He appealed to all Christian people regardless of denomination, to work together to this one end—absolute prohibition.

Mr. Brown is a plain layman of the church and holds the position of Assistant Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Kentucky. In addition to being an eloquent speaker his message carries with it the power of conviction.

Mr. Brown also quoted from statistics and authentic reports showing the waste of food materials and fuels in the manufacture of whisky and beer and the thousands of young men kept out of our armies on account of strong drink and its attendant evils.

## IN FULL SWING

CO. AGRICULTURAL AGENTS OF WESTERN DISTRICT MEET AND ORGANIZE.

The County Farm Agents of the several counties in the Western District of Kentucky are meeting here for a three day session. They were called to order yesterday at 10:30 a. m., in the Avalon by District Agent G. T. Wyatt. After a brief statement by the District Agent, Mr. Geoffrey Morgan was introduced and in a brief way outlined the purpose of the meeting and a plan of organization extending from the National Government down through the state agents to the district agents and from the district agents to the county agents and on to the farmer. A committee on organization consisting of Agent Dawson, of Logan county; Agent Smith, of Simpson county; and J. A. McKenzie, of Hopkinsville, was appointed. This committee will proceed to perfect a permanent organization consisting of two members from each county.

State Food Administrator Sackett was present at the opening session and spoke at some length on the food situation as it viewed by the National Government. He laid stress on relative values and price fixing and said the government does not attempt to fix the prices of farm products except to guarantee prices on certain crops like wheat, when there is a shortage. This is done to stimulate the growing of wheat at a fair profit to the farmer.

Mr. Sackett emphasized the raising of more hogs as we need the meat and lard for export as well as for home use. Later a minimum price may be guaranteed for pork as a stimulant for the farmer to raise more hogs.

He stated also that the government is preparing to revoke the license and take over any mill found not complying with the regulations. Mr. Sackett also addressed the public yesterday afternoon at 3:30 in the Christian church and talked at night in the Virginia St. Baptist church.

## BELLE ISLE STOCK SALE

FIFTY HEAD OF DUROC JERSEY BRED SOWS AND TWO BOARS.

J. U. Campbell, proprietor of Belle Isle Farm, had his second annual sale of bred Duroc-Jersey sows yesterday at Dr. Isbell's stable.

Fifty sows and two boars were sold at highly satisfactory prices. Col. H. L. Igleheart and Col. F. D. Hengst were the auctioneers and kept the sale moving rapidly. The sale began at one o'clock and was attended by a good crowd of stock men and other interested parties. A good many purchasers from a distance were no hand. Such of these as desired it, were given free entertainment by Mr. Campbell at Hotel Latham for the night and day.

## WANTED!

A share cropper to cultivate about twelve acres of tobacco.  
G. W. MILLS,  
Pembroke, Ky.

## NEARING PETROGRAD.

The German advance in Russia again is in full swing and the fall of Petrograd is believed to be near. It is reported the invaders plan to starve out the city. Peace negotiations between Rumania and the Central Powers are reported to have been broken off. Kiev, capital of Ukraine, was captured by the Germans, forcing out the Bolsheviks.

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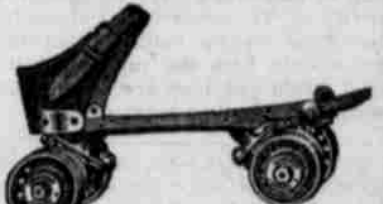
Spading Forks..... 87c  
Garden Rake (steel)..... 40c  
Hose..... 40c

## Garden Seed

We have Leonard's Bulk Seed, Seed Irish Potatoes and Onion Sets. Buy your garden seed now, they will be scarce later in the season.

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## JAPAN IS NOW READY

To Send 250,000 Men Into Russian Territory.

Japan is ready to send a quarter of a million men into Siberia to protect valuable army supplies now stored at Vladivostok. Only the word of the Entente Allies is wanted to set in motion the landing of an army in Eastern Siberia. Paris and London favor such an invasion. As yet the United States has come to no decision, though indications point to an agreement on the part of Washington with the Allies abroad.

## ATHLETES

9 TESTS ARE USED TO PROVE PROVE PHYSICAL FITNESS OF MEN IN CAMP.

The director of athletics at one Army camp has arranged a program as a means of determining the relative athletic caliber of the companies in the division. Each man is required to pass in eight of the following tests to obtain a positive mark for his unit:

Jump eight feet from a standing position; chin 10 inches; throw a 12-pound shot 33 feet; climb a twenty-foot rope in 15 seconds; dash 50 yards in 7 seconds; run a mile in 6 minutes; lift a 60-pound weight over the head with one hand; sit up from a supine position with a 50-pound weight suspended from the back of the head.

## USELESS OFFICES MEASURE.

The Rules Committee of the House will take charge of all pending legislation next Saturday.

Among the bills of importance that are to be acted upon during the closing hours of the session, those that have taken precedence in the minds of a majority of the members of the two houses are the ones to put into effect the recommendations of the Joint Probe Committee to abolish and consolidate eighteen offices, boards and institutions.

They have the approval of Gov. Stanley, as well as a majority of the Democrats and Republicans in the two houses, and it is said their passage is assured. None of the bills will take effect until after the expiration of the terms for which the incumbents of the various offices were appointed. The terms of practically all of them expire at the close of the present State Administration, and in the event the bills are enacted the next Governor of Kentucky will find himself minus considerable patronage.

## Chat About People

Banker John B. Trice writes from way down South: "I am down here doing what Col. Abbott wrote back to Hopkinsville when he made a visit here a long time ago. 'Eating of oranges, driving of fast horses (autos now) and having of a good time.' Attended the most enthusiastic patriotic meeting last night I was ever in, almost a mob.

The weather is quite warm and orange blossoms perfume the air. I will be home in a few days."

Mr. B. G. Nelson succeeds M. O. Hughes, of Bowling Green, as District Farm Agent, and will have charge of 14 counties in the section of the state around Bowling Green and will devote his entire time to securing the cooperation of the people in the production of more and better crops. He will devote much time for the next few weeks to looking into the seed corn situation and having tests made.

Mr. Morgan O. Hughes, whom Mr. Nelson succeeds, has been promoted to Assistant State Agent. Mr. Hughes is regarded as one of the ablest agricultural men in the state and to succeed him is quite an honor for Mr. Nelson and is a testimony of the fine work he is doing.

Although the territory of Mr. Nelson does not lie in this immediate section, his headquarters will remain in Hopkinsville for the present.

## OHIO GENERAL DISCHARGED.

Honorable discharge from the service of Brig General John C. Speaks, of Ohio, stationed at Camp Sheridan, Ala., was approved by Secretary Baker. A special board of inquiry is understood to have reported the officer temperamentally unfit.

## AIR MAIL ROUTES.

Airplane mail service between New York and Washington will be in daily operation beginning April 15 the postoffice department announces. The War Department will furnish eight machines piloted by army fliers. It is to be conducted one year as part of the army aviation training system.

Webster county is out of debt and still has mud roads.